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## Pay Your Taxes with IRS “Direct Pay”

Use this secure service to pay your individual tax bill or estimated tax payment directly from your checking or savings account at no cost to you. You'll receive instant confirmation that your payment has been submitted. Bank account information is not retained in IRS systems after payments are made.

Open Internet browser and enter website: <http://www.irs.gov/Payments/Direct-Pay>

The screenshot shows the IRS Direct Pay website. At the top left is the IRS logo. To the right are links for Subscriptions, Language, and Information For... Below these is a search bar with a magnifying glass icon and the word "Advanced". A navigation menu includes Filing, Payments (highlighted in red), Refunds, Credits & Deductions, News & Events, Forms & Pubs, Help & Resources, and for Tax Pros. The main content area is titled "Welcome to Direct Pay!" and includes a heart icon, a plus icon, and a printer icon. Below the title is a "Need help?" link. The main text explains the service and provides two buttons: "Make a Payment" and "Look Up a Payment". An "Availability notice" box states that Direct Pay will be unavailable for short maintenance periods daily between 11:45 p.m. and midnight Eastern time, with Saturday's outage extending through 7 a.m. Eastern time on Sunday. An "Important" notice states that IRS Direct Pay availability has no bearing on the due date. On the right side, a "Just 5 easy steps to make a payment:" section lists: 1. Provide your tax information, 2. Verify your identity, 3. Enter your payment information, 4. Review and electronically sign the transaction, and 5. Print or record your online confirmation number. At the bottom, there is a footer with five columns of links: "Resolve an Issue" (including Appealing a Tax Dispute, Responding to a Notice, Taxpayer Advocate Service, Disaster Relief, Civil Rights), "Learn About IRS" (including Commissioner, Organization, Compliance & Enforcement, Tax Stats, Facts & Figures, IRS.gov Information, Contact Your Local IRS Office, Contact Us, More ...), "Work at IRS" (including Careers, Job Postings, Equal Employment Opportunity, Contracting Opportunities), "Get Important Info" (including Tax Fraud & Abuse, Privacy Policy, Reporting Phishing, Identity Theft, No FEAR Act, Freedom of Information Act, Accessibility, BusinessUSA.gov), and "Visit Other Sites" (including Español, 中文, 한국어, Русский, Tiếng Việt, U.S. Treasury, USA.gov, Whitehouse.gov, Treasury Inspector General for Tax Administration).

Select Make a Payment

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[Have questions or need additional information?](#)



Tax Information

Select the appropriate payment type and reason for your payment. Information about payment types can be found by clicking the help icon (?). If you are making more than one type of payment or making payments for more than one tax year, submit each of them separately.

**Business Taxes?**

All business tax payments should be made through the [Electronic Federal Tax Payment System \(EFTPS\)](#).

**Apply Payment To** ?  
1040, 1040A, 1040EZ

**Reason for Payment** ?  
Tax Return

**Tax Period for Payment** ?  
2015

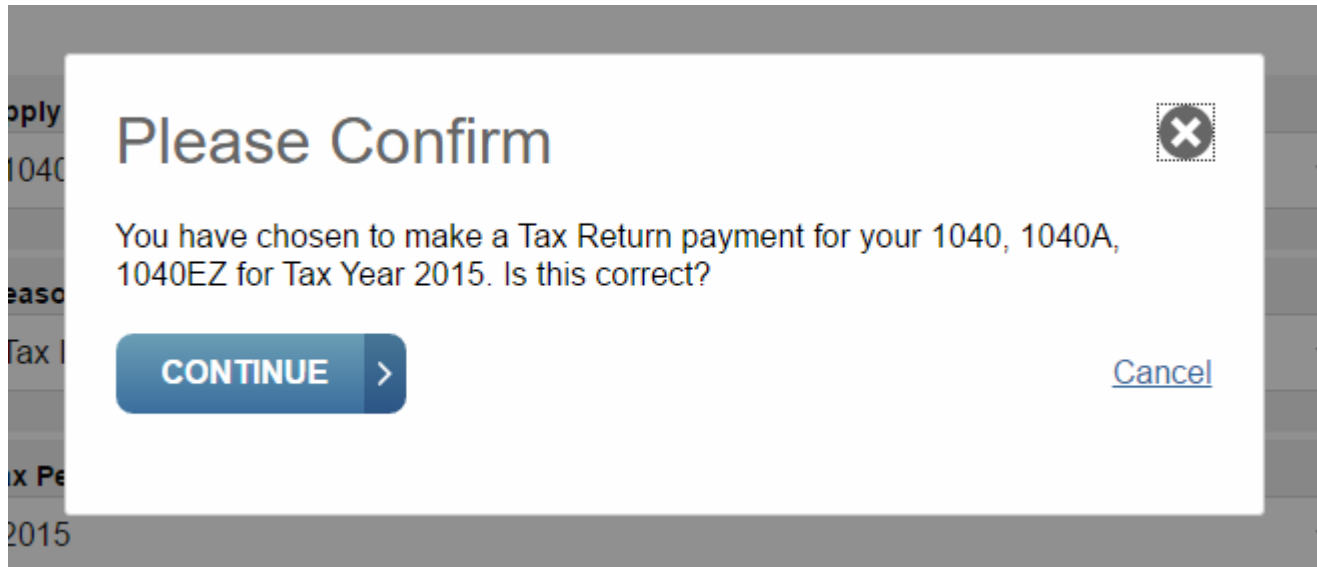


In each category select the appropriate item

- a. Apply Payment To
  - i. Select the form you are paying tax for (e.g. 1040ES for an estimated tax payment)
- b. Reason for Payment
  - i. Select the appropriate reason
- c. Tax year for Payment
  - i. Select year for which you would like the payment applied

Select CONTINUE

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Select CONTINUE to confirm your selection

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### Verify Identity

Enter the information from a 1040 tax form that you filed within the last six years. The tax year you select does not have to match the year your payment is being applied to. The information on this page is used for identity verification purposes only.

Tax Year for Verification \*

The information you enter must match the information from your tax return for the tax year you selected above.

Filing Status \*

**First Name \***

**Last Name \***

SSN or ITIN \*

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**Date of Birth \***

 Month  Day  Year

**Country of Residence \***

**Street Address (from the tax year selected above)**

**Apt/Suite/Other**

**P.O. Box**

**City \***

**State/US Territory \***

**Zip Code \***

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Complete the required areas of “Verify Identity”

1. Tax Year
2. Filing Status (for the year entered above)
3. First Name
4. Last Name
5. Social Security Number
6. Date of Birth
7. Country
8. Address \*optional
9. City
10. State
11. Zip Code

[Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act](#)

I accept the Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act.\*

[PREVIOUS](#)

[CONTINUE](#)

[Cancel](#)

Select the box “I accept the Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act”

Select CONTINUE

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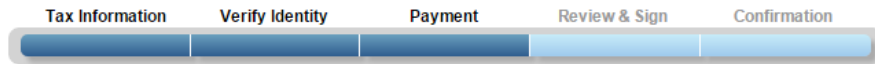
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Enter your payment information

### Direct Pay

[Have questions or need additional information?](#)



All fields are required.

#### Your Payment Information

Please enter and confirm the payment amount below.

The payment date below is the date you will get credit for the payment. As long as you have submitted your payment on or before the due date and receive a confirmation number in this program, you should avoid penalties or interest on your account even though actual payment does not occur until the next available banking day.

Payment Amount (example: 12345.00)

Confirm Payment Amount

Payment Date (within 30 days)



#### Your Bank Account Information

Routing Number

Account Number

Confirm Account Number

Account Type

- Checking
- Savings



ROUTING  
NUMBER

ACCOUNT  
NUMBER

PREVIOUS

CANCEL

CONTINUE

**Pay Your Taxes with IRS “Direct Pay”**

Complete the required areas of “Your Payment Information”

1. Amount you are paying
2. Amount you are paying again to confirm
3. Date to schedule payment (within 30 days of today)

Complete the required areas of “Your Payment Information”

1. Bank routing number
2. Bank account number
3. Bank account number again to confirm
4. Select the type of account you are using to make the payment

Select CONTINUE

**Disclosure Authorization Agreement**



You must agree to the authorization below. You will then have an opportunity to review your payment details before submitting your payment.

**Please read the following Authorization Agreement:**

I hereby authorize the financial institutions on subsequent pages within this application involved in the processing of my IRS Direct Pay payment to receive confidential information necessary to perform an electronic payment of federal taxes for the tax year specified, answer inquiries, and resolve issues related to identity verification and payments. This information includes, but is not limited to payment instructions, taxpayer name and identifying number, and payment transaction details.

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Select I AGREE

## Pay Your Taxes with IRS “Direct Pay”

### [Debit Authorization Agreement](#)

I accept the Debit Authorization Agreement.

### Electronic Signature

When you complete this electronic signature and select "Submit" below, your payment will be submitted.

First Name

Last Name

SSN or ITIN [?](#)

Date

09/13/2016

[Cancel](#)

Select box for “I accept the Debit Authorization Agreement”

Complete the required areas of “Electronic Signature”

1. First name
2. Last Name
3. Social security number

Select SUBMIT

Save the “Confirmation” page for your records